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WOMAN SWIMS ACROSS JAMES RIVER AND CANAL

Rescued from Latter, She Makes Second Attempt and Reaches Forest Hill Park.

BROUGHT HOME IN MOTOR CAR

Found to Be of Unsound Mind and Locked Up by Order of Police.

First singing a psalm of glory and then offering up a prayer for sinful souls, Mrs. E. M. Taylor, of 15 South Walnut Street, yesterday afternoon, in a craze of religious enthusiasm, swam across the Canal and the James River, opposite Haxall's, reached the opposite side after twice sinking, and once gaining a rock in her extremity, reached Forest Hill Park, and was brought back in the automobile of J. J. Smith, who, learning that she wanted to go to Petersburg, saw that home was the best place to bring her.

Mrs. Taylor is now lodged in the City Jail, under a charge of being a person of unsound mind. She was once before been adjudged January 21, but she seemed to become better, and she was never sent to an asylum.

Dragged Out Once. Yesterday the religious craze seems to have struck her again, and she declared that she had been directed to go neither to the East nor the West, but to go straight forward, she made for the Canal. At the bank she sang a hymn, and then offered up a prayer, with which she sprang into the water. Midway of the current she was seen by Otto Moeller and his uncle, Henry Boltz, who were out fishing, and they managed to drag her out.

She was turned over to a substitute watchman, who attends the lockgates, and he kept her until after 12 o'clock. At that time he had to go about his duties, and, having failed to reach the Henrico county authorities by telephone, he was forced to let the woman go.

Mrs. Taylor then crossed over the James River Division of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway, and arrived at the bank of the river.

Again at the river bank she offered up a prayer, and then took a dive into the swirling current. She sank once, and so she stated afterwards, was washed up on a rock, where she remained fast for some time, until the current took her into its arms again. Somehow or other she managed to get to the other side, and she made for the home of J. J. Smith, where she took temporary refuge.

The woman was but partly dressed, and Mr. Smith, seeing that something was wrong, offered to take her in his automobile. Mrs. Taylor told him that she wanted to go to Petersburg, but he brought her to her home, where she was later taken in hand by a police officer of the Second District. She was taken before Judge J. A. Purdie, who caused her to be sent to jail, where she was locked up for the night.

Swam Like a Giant. It was not long ago that the Second Station received a call that a woman was walking, barefooted and with but little clothing, up and down Broad Street. The patrol was sent out, and Mrs. Taylor was found near the Baseball Park.

How Mrs. Taylor got across the Canal and the river yesterday will probably never be known. It is a most dangerous feat, and, in fact, ordinarily it takes a strong swimmer to brave the current. But a providence seems to have taken charge of the unfortunate woman, and safely carried her across. According to her own story, she sank twice on the way, but each time was washed to some point of vantage, where she rested, and whence she started out again. At one time she remained stuck fast on a rock.

She was accompanied to the City Jail last night by her daughter, and was stated that she was resting quietly.



HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS

A small quantity of the Bitters taken along your vacation will prevent any suffering from Cramps, Diarrhoea, Sick Headache, Biliousness, Indigestion and Malarial Fever. Remember this hint.

RESURVEY IN JAMES RIVER BARBOUD

Government Steamer Fish Hawk Worked Only Three Days.

STATE OFFICIALS DOWNCAST

Fear That Inspection of Oyster Rocks Cannot Now Be Carried On.

To the utter chagrin of members of the State Commission of Fisheries, the resurvey of the oyster rocks in the James River has been abandoned. The government steamer Fish Hawk, under command of Dr. Moore of the United States Department of Fisheries, having left for Washington. Indeed, it is stated upon reliable authority that the work of inspecting the rocks lasted only three days. The strange part of it all is that the State authorities cannot learn why the work was abandoned, or when, if ever, it will be resumed. Secretary S. Wilkins Matthews, of the State Commission of Fisheries, was here yesterday on his way home from Washington, having been to the national capital to see if he could learn the reason for the abandonment of the work of the Fish Hawk from Virginia waters, after the work of making the resurvey had begun. He said last night that the State authorities cannot learn why the work was abandoned, or when, if ever, it will be resumed. The Governor and the commission would like some more ago, ever promises made by the State authorities to rerun the Bayliner lines in the James River, with the view of securing a more permanent basis. They were even more joyful when the work was actually begun. Now they are correspondingly downcast by reference to the situation, fearing that the work cannot be properly carried on during the present year, even should it be resumed at once.

BUY AWINGS

Keepers of White and Colored Playgrounds to Have Ample Shade.

A call has been issued for a meeting of the Subcommittee on Playgrounds from the Committee on Grounds and Buildings for to-night at 8 o'clock.

Up to this time the committee has succeeded in opening the Williamsburg Avenue Playground, in Fulton, and the Moore Street Playground for colored children, with two salaried attendants at each, though little in the way of equipment has been accomplished save the smoothing of the grounds by the Engineer's Department, and the knocking together of a few sandboxes, yet filled with sand. The committee will open bids to-night for an awning to go over the girls' sandbox and for two other awnings, one each for the white and colored children, at the Fulton grounds. No steps have been taken, it is said, toward opening any playgrounds in the congested sections of the city, but the Fulton and Moore Street grounds being surrounded by open fields, in which the children can play, the committee has decided to postpone the purchase of equipment until the various keepers continue to eat their way into the fund set apart for the operation of play spots.

For the Ice Mission.

The Times-Dispatch has received the following contributions for the Ice Mission:

Misses Annie Carter and Mary Custis Lee	\$5.00
Cash	1.35
Mrs. Flournoy	1.00
J. M. Rosenbaum	5.00
Total	\$12.35

Qualifications in Chancery.

Charles F. Armitage qualified yesterday in the Chancery Court as guardian of the estate of George E. Gornto. Mrs. Mary C. Hunter qualified as administratrix of the estate of Major John Hunter, Jr. The estate is valued at \$20,000.

Morgan Inspects Camps.

Major E. F. Morgan, Superintendent of the State Penitentiary, left last night to inspect convict road camps in the counties of Amherst, Roanoke and Washington. Before leaving, Major Morgan sent one of his guards to Norfolk for twenty-five jailbirds, to be taken to work on the county roads of Dinwiddie.

Senator White Seriously Ill.

The condition of Senator William C. White, of the Eighteenth District, who is undergoing treatment at the Johnston-Willis Sanatorium, is extremely critical.

OTHER PRISONERS ARE RECAPTURED

Guards Find Carson and Bailey Near State Farm Slightly Wounded.

Cheating the prison out of only one day, Harry Carson, of this city, and William Bailey, of Augusta, two of the convicts who escaped from the tuberculosis hospital at the State Penitentiary yesterday, were recaptured yesterday by guards who have been on their trail ever since their departure. It will be recalled that four white men sprang over the wall at one time. Two of them were caught at once, the others making a desperate run, although they were fired upon several times by pursuing guards. When the men were found yesterday, a few miles from the farm, it was discovered that both were slightly wounded, one having been shot in the neck and the other in the arm. The wounds are said to amount to practically nothing. All four of the would-be fugitives are now back in the hospital from which they made desperate leaps. They will be given additional sentences, unless the court deals mercifully with them on account of the poor condition of their health.

It is a coincidence that the guard shot several times at the entire body of retreating prisoners, and happened to hit only the two who finally succeeded in making their escape. The other two halted after the shooting, being taken back to the hospital unhurt.

The case is altogether unique in the history of the State Farm, when all the circumstances are taken into consideration. It was thought that of all others, tuberculosis patients would be the last to make an effort to scale walls, as such a task requires a great deal of physical strength.

John Grimes, who died at the Colored Almshouse last week after having been a charge on the city for some time, and who was buried in the potter's field, had both an income and a bank account—two of them, in fact—and yesterday his aunt, Harriet Grimes, claiming to be the sole surviving relative, qualified as administratrix of his estate before Judge Grinnan in the Chancery Court.

Grimes had been an inmate of the Colored Almshouse throughout his last illness, and was supposed to be a proper subject for municipal charity. When he died, a sealed envelope of package was found in his only pocket, and he was buried at the expense of the city. The envelope, labeled "Estate of John Grimes," contained a check for \$100, payable to the order of the City of Richmond, which was found to be a counterfeit.

BAR OF FREEDOM NOT FOR WALLEN

Released Convict Will Leave Penitentiary for Jail in Wise County.

RAN ILLICIT DISTILLERY

Indictment Issued by Federal Grand Jury Contains Four Courts Against Prisoner.

William Wallen, of Wise county, who completed a year's sentence for grand larceny in the Virginia State Penitentiary on Friday, will not breathe the air of freedom for a while. When Wallen, thirty-five years old, completes his sentence, he will be taken to the State Penitentiary at 6 o'clock Friday morning, Deputy Marshal Murphy, of the United States District Court, will be there ready to take him into custody. An indictment, including four counts, is pending against the prisoner in Wise county. At the penitentiary, Wallen's record has been anything but good, and as a result of his conduct his sentence was increased several months, or else he would have been returned to the authorities of the western district long before. It is said that Wallen has a wife and family in Wise county, and that he frequently becomes enthusiastic in the thought of seeing them again.

Charged With Distilling. The indictments against Wallen, which charge him with owning, operating and managing an illicit still, are in the hands of Clerk Joseph P. Brady, of the United States District Court for the Eastern Virginia District. He was indicted at Big Stone Gap, and unless he is able to furnish bail, will be returned there on Friday.

It is alleged that after Wallen's conviction for grand larceny, and the subsequent sentence to the penitentiary, he was found to be one of the most notorious illicit still men ever known in the western district. His receipts, according to an unofficial statement, must have netted him several hundred thousand dollars. He is said to be a rich man, but where the money is no one seems to know. There is little possibility of his being released on bail here, although the required \$5,000 may be furnished after he reaches Big Stone Gap.

HOTEL CONDEMNED

Building Inspector Testifies Before Commissioner That Ford's Is Unsafe. Efforts are being made by attorneys interested in various phases of the building, including the property known as Ford's Hotel, in the interest of all parties at issue, with a view to the final disposition of the building.

Attorney Robert H. Talley, sitting as a commissioner in chancery in chambers yesterday, heard testimony from the building inspector, who testified that the building, known as Ford's Hotel, in the interest of all parties at issue, with a view to the final disposition of the building.

ASK BIDS ON NEW FREIGHT DEPOT

Chesapeake and Ohio Announces Plan for Extensive Improvement.

Bids have been invited by the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company, to be opened on Saturday, for the erection of a new freight depot at the corner of Seventeenth and Broad Streets, running back two blocks to Clay Street, and leaving Marshall open for travel. The plans have not yet been filed in the office of the Building Inspector, but for building alone, not counting in the value of the land, which already belongs to the railway company, will be in excess of \$50,000.

At the northwest corner of Seventeenth and Broad Streets, the building will be two stories of brick and concrete, with offices in front, fronting fifty-three feet on Broad Street, and running back 255 feet to Marshall. Several tracks cross Marshall Street, and from Marshall to Clay Street, a distance of 255 feet, fifty-three feet there is to be a one-story brick freight warehouse.

The space now occupied by the old depot at Sixteenth and Broad Streets will be occupied by tracks, the whole bottom over to the new Seaboard freight yard. Before the entire scheme is completed the two railroads will have made an outlay on freight terminals in the neighborhood of Seventeenth and Broad Streets of several hundred thousand dollars.

VALLEY SCHOOL SOLD

Building Knocked Out to Brother of Councilman Powers for Removal. The old Valley School building, at Fifteenth and Marshall Streets, recently condemned by the Building Inspector and abandoned, was sold yesterday under authority of the City Council at auction, the material in the old structure being knocked out to R. N. Powers, a brother of Councilman John T. Powers, for \$440, with the condition that it be removed within thirty days and the lot left in condition for further building. The lot has been made over to the Street Cleaning Committee, as the site for the new incinerator, a contract for which has been awarded to the Decarie Company, of Minneapolis.

Work will begin on demolishing the school building to-day. It is said to be the oldest free school in a century ago by the Lancasterian Brothers as a white school, the property having been acquired since the war by the city and used as a colored school.

GOING AHEAD IN POSTAL RECEIPTS

Figures, as Barometer, Show Business Conditions Here Better Than Ever Before.

HANDLED ONE MILLION

Richmond Is Depositing Station for the State, and Has Charge of Funds for Carriers.

From figures furnished The Times-Dispatch by Cashier Marriott, of the Richmond Post-Office, it would seem that the fiscal year ending July 1 was the most successful from a financial standpoint, ever experienced in the history of the municipality. Within the year the various other officers of the State were made depositors of the local office, and the many rural carriers were paid out of the funds held by Mr. Marriott.

While the total receipts of 1909 were \$540,435.39, the receipts of 1908 were \$555,391.58, an increase of \$14,956.19. In 1907 the receipts were \$515,696.28. The cash receipts for the fiscal year recently ended were larger by many thousands of dollars than any previous year. "There is no better barometer of business conditions than the statement of the affairs in the post-office," said Cashier Marriott yesterday.

As the postal receipts fall off when there is a slump in business, and increase as soon as it picks up, I consider last year—that is, the postal fiscal year—the most progressive Richmond ever knew. It was necessary to increase the force to handle the business, and aside from this we worked a large night force."

"Postmaster Cabell acquiesces in everything the cashier states, and there is no doubt, from their expressions, that the Richmond has recently concluded the greatest year in its history. Aside from congratulating himself and the department upon the excellent showing made in the past twelve months, Mr. Marriott stated that the receipts thus far in July are beginning to show a continued growth, and the outcome is expected to be a more material increase when the figures are compiled for July, 1910. The figures are irrespective of the receipts in the register and money order divisions. "Many people wouldn't believe that the offices of the State, of every class, deposited \$665,350.73 last year. This is a fact, however, and does not contain anything except the surplus funds," said the cashier. "Our banks get the benefit of the deposits, as all the money is put into their hands until we make a settlement with the Washington officials."

Came Near a Million.

In a recent inspection of the office here, the report sent in to Washington was that the department in the country which keeps its business up as well. When a statement of affairs was asked for, although the inspections are made when least expected, it was readily forthcoming. "This is the reason why we were allowed to build a new office building," said the cashier.

Nearly \$1,000,000 was paid out last year to the 998 rural mail carriers of the State. The actual amount is \$1,007,531. It may be readily seen that the actual receipts would have been sufficient to pay this large amount, and the main reason why practically all the post-offices in the State are controlled and operated through Richmond.

The quarterly report shows that \$329,158.47 was received by the local office during the quarter ending July 1, while in June the amount was \$47,817.15. The corresponding amount for the month last year was \$41,215.41.

A RICHMOND AEROPLANE

Flying Machine That Amuses the Kids of Barton Heights.

Bernard Gallagher is the inventor of a remarkable flying machine, which is something of a cross between an ordinary kite of the kind the boys sail, and a miniature aeroplane, after the fashion of those being sailed by the famous Wright brothers, although it is more the former in that it is only a toy. It is also shaped like the kite and has a kite's tail, but two propellers make it a more reliable and more graceful sailer.

Mr. Gallagher took one of his kites over to Barton Heights Tuesday night and caused it to make an ascension from the corner of Lamb Avenue and Kersting Street for the amusement of a large number of children, who had gathered there on the invitation of Thomas Gardner to see the fun.

Although there was but little breeze stirring the kite made quite a graceful ascension, while the happy children cheered lustily. Mr. Gallagher presented the flying machine to the Barton Heights children's splendid exhibition on such nights as the breezes are favorable to the navigation of the air, and the kids hope they will be that way every evening.

Called on the Governor.

Among the prominent Virginians who called upon Governor Swanson yesterday were: Judge J. D. C. Brown, of Newport News, and Dr. H. L. Atkins, of Mecklenburg.

DO NOT APPROVE LATEST ATTACKS

Mann Criticized for Assaulting Tucker's Connection With Ogden Movement.

MATTER WIDELY DISCUSSED

Prominent Educator Believes Timberville Speech Will Lose Mann 5,000 Votes.

Hardly a day passes toward the end of the struggle that does not bring forth some new development in the discussion of the probable effect of the speech of Judge Mann at Timberville on Tuesday, in which he attacked Mr. Tucker for the latter's connection with the Ogden Educational Movement in the State. This matter was widely talked of about the hotel lobbies last night, the consensus of opinion seeming to be that the Nottoway candidate had played a bad card by introducing this as a reason why Mr. Tucker should not be Governor. There is no question of the popularity of the Ogden Movement throughout the South, among those who have the cause of public education really at heart. Men are saying that because the colored race is sharing in these contributions made for education in the South is no reason that the movement should be scored by a candidate for office, or that one heretofore associated with the movement should be for that reason debarred from election to the governorship of Virginia. It is further pointed out that this State, out of its own funds, contributes to the education of negroes, as is the case all over the country.

Educator Talks.

A prominent Democratic educator, who is known to have had Mann leaning up to this time, if indeed, he was not for the Nottoway candidate, made an interesting statement on the subject last night. "I am firmly of opinion," said he, "that Judge Mann's Timberville speech, in which he is reported to have criticized Mr. Tucker for his connection with the Ogden Educational Movement, on the ground that Booker T. Washington was also interested in the work, will lose the judge 5,000 votes in the primary. If these reported declarations of Judge Mann mean anything, they mean that if he should be elected Governor, he would use his influence to prevent the State from getting the \$30,000 a year that is now being given from the Ogden fund to assist in the education of the children of the State."

"It means more," he continued. "It means that Judge Mann has cast a realignment of the University of Virginia. President Denny, of the Washington and Lee University; Superintendent of Public Instruction Joseph D. Eggleston, Jr.; Dr. Barringer, of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute; Dr. C. Mitchell, and many other men of prominence in educational matters in Virginia and the South, who are understood to be in hearty sympathy with the movement, and whose Democracy has never been questioned."

Saymen of Like Mind.

It was not only educators who were talking this way about the matter last night, but laymen as a rule seemed to share the same opinion. Even strong advocates of Judge Mann did not seem to think this latest fiery attack on Mr. Tucker's record in the matter of education would bring the Nottoway candidate any great number of additional votes, though many of them are of opinion that it will do him no harm.

Mr. Tucker has an engagement to appear in Lynchburg to-morrow night. Up to this time neither candidate has appeared in the Hill City. It is expected that Judge Mann will appear there later in the campaign. Mr. Tucker will go to Nelson county on Monday, which was always one of his strongholds, when he represented the Tenth District in Congress. He will speak in Richmond one night next week, though the exact date has not been determined. The fact that he is still campaigning in the Valley, is expected to spend to-morrow at his headquarters in this city.

ONE NEW CHARTER

The Corporation Commission yesterday issued a charter to The Blackstone-Virginia Tobacco Company, Incorporated, Blacksburg, Va. As president, J. P. Hardy, vice-president, C. H. Hardy, secretary and treasurer, all of Blacksburg. Capital: Maximum, \$25,000; minimum, \$10,000. Objects: Dealers in leaf and strip tobacco.

Verdict for Defendants.

In the case of Lindsay C. White against Christopher Tompkins and W. B. Russell, in which damages of \$5,000 were asked, the jury yesterday brought in a verdict for the defendants. White claimed to have been injured by a fall over a cellar, say on a premises occupied by Russell and owned by Dr. Tompkins. The jury held that neither was responsible for the fall and resultant injury.

Deputy Clerk Ill.

Thomas D. Neal, Jr., deputy clerk of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, is ill with typhoid fever at his home, 9 West Main Street. His condition is not critical.

OPPOSITION MAY NAME EGGLESTON

Public Educator Is Suggested as Republican Candidate for His Present Position.

SATISFIED WITH RECORD

Thinks Meredith Not to Run, and Believes Contest for Governor Is Between Three.

Mr. C. Lowry, collector of internal revenue, is authority for the statement that Joseph D. Eggleston, Jr., Superintendent of Public Instruction, will most probably be the choice of the Republicans to succeed himself in the position he now holds. Mr. Eggleston is an out-and-out Democrat, and that he is to be the choice of the opposition party may be received with great surprise by many representatives of the two parties.

Mr. Lowry stated that he had talked with Republican party men in Washington last week, and that the consensus of opinion is that the superintendent is not antagonistic, and has made an excellent record. There has never previously, perhaps, been an instance in which a Democratic representative has been complimented by having his name printed as the avowed candidate of the opposition party.

The Republican State Convention will meet in Newport News July 28, and there has been no suggestion of any candidate in the party for Mr. Eggleston's position.

The widely heralded prediction that the Democrats will be opposed, it is said that many gatherings have endorsed Mr. Eggleston, and that his chief supporters are in the rural districts, where he has especially endeavored to build up public school systems.

Aside from his reference to the candidacy to the superintendency of education, Mr. Lowry expressed the opinion that Mr. Wyndham R. Meredith, spoken of as a candidate for Attorney-General, will not run. "I don't think he will accept the nomination," said Mr. Lowry, "and I consider George A. Sipe, of Harrisonburg, the most likely man to oppose the Democratic nominee." Mr. Sipe was formerly a member of the House of Delegates and has a large following in his section.

Mr. Lowry would express no opinion as to the possibilities of a gubernatorial nominee, although he believes the most likely candidates will be George A. Rivercomb, of Allegheny county; Captain Kent, of Wythe county, and A. F. Gillespie, of Tazewell county. There is little, from all reports, to be a lively contest for the honor of heading the Republican ticket, and no expressions, although many efforts have been made to secure them, can be had locally as to the probable result of the canvass.

Candidate for Governor.

The Fauquier delegation has been instructed for Gillespie, and the Wythe county delegates have pledged their support to Captain Kent. All others at the convention have been left to their own devices as to how they will vote. How the Richmonders will vote is a matter of conjecture, but indications are that their support will go to Gillespie. Indications are that Gillespie will receive the nomination, but this prediction is based solely on the statements of local Republicans, who base their estimates on credentials received from other sections.

There will be no other meetings of the Republicans in this city, it is said, before the convention takes place, and therefore no instructions will be issued. After Mr. Lowry's statement concerning Mr. Eggleston was received several of the party men were interviewed, and seemed, although they would not expect the votes, to have given the "Eggleston tip."

While the local delegation will be thoroughly in accord when it comes to voting at the Newport News convention, there are reports of dissension in other sections, and the fact that one district has elected negroes to represent them. "Even the staunchest men," says one authority, "hope that the convention, in view of the increased support the party has secured, would be a little lenient." Goodrich county is the exception.

May Vote on Primary.

It is possible, though improbable, that a resolution will be presented at the convention for a State Republican primary. It is possible that the delegations, many of them, have been urged to retain the convention system, and use as argument the discord arising in the Democratic ranks from the primary. Should the question be raised, it is likely that the voters will hold to the present method of naming candidates.

SUES FOR FALSE ARREST

Joseph Mosby, Accused of Theft, Brings Suit Against Accuser.


Joseph L. Mosby filed suit in the Law and Equity Court yesterday against the Southern Railway Company for damages laid at \$15,000, alleging false arrest. While no declaration has been filed as yet, it is understood that the ground of the suit, which was filed by L. O. Wrenn, a prominent attorney, is that the railroad detectives had caused the arrest of young Mosby on the charge of being an accessory in the theft of a shipment of cigarettes. When the case came to trial he was able to present an alibi, and was acquitted. The young man's attorney showing that he was on a furlough at the time the alleged robbery was committed.

VACATION AT THE WHITE

Governor and Mrs. Swanson Will Leave Saturday for the Swampscott, N. H.

The Governor and Mrs. Swanson will leave Saturday for the White Sulphur Springs, where they will spend about two weeks. Upon leaving the White Sulphur Springs, they will go to Chatham to cast his vote in the State primary. It is possible that he may go back to the famous summer resort before finally returning to the city. The Governor has taken but few vacations since he has occupied the gubernatorial chair, having remained at his desk almost constantly. He is undecided as to whether he will attend the State Bar Association, which will meet in annual session at the Hot Springs August 10 to 12, inclusive.

Fire Started from Trash. Fire originating in a pile of trash in the rear of the store of J. H. Dickinson, 1402 East Main Street, caused the sending of an alarm yesterday afternoon, but the blaze was not of considerable extent. The fire was extinguished by the use of chemicals.



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